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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This paper is in response to the restriction requirement mailed June 8, 2006.  
Restriction was required among group I (claims 1-18) and group II (claims 19-23).

Applicant elects group I (claims 1-18) for examination, without traverse.  
Please withdraw claims 19-23 from consideration.

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